



Arizona State Senate

2019 PAGE PROGRAM & INTERNSHIP

The Arizona State Senate is currently hiring temporary full-time and part-time Senate Pages for the upcoming 2018 Session. The Senate Page program provides an exciting behind the scenes experience of the legislative process in Arizona.

The Senate Page program introduces students to the mechanics of the legislative process in an environment that fosters professional development and academic exploration. This unique paid internship program frequently produces political leaders in both the region and the nation by allowing participants to establish a far-reaching network of peers and mentors. Participants enjoy the incredible opportunity to follow the creation of laws from their inception to their eventual implementation. Pages are present during exciting Floor sessions that both feature prominently in regional news and help forge the political landscape of the state.

Pages play an important role in the day-to-day operations of the Arizona State Senate. The most important responsibility of a Page is to attend to the needs of the Senators while on the Senate Chamber floor during formal sessions, in standing committee meetings and in party caucuses. Other duties may include setting up computers and presentations and distributing legislative materials throughout the Capitol complex. Each year a few outstanding Pages are also chosen to assist with constituent services casework. These cases provide general public interest experience and establish a base of knowledge for common tasks in other political positions.

The Legislative session is expected to last one hundred calendar days, although past sessions have extended anywhere from April to late June. Work would begin the second Monday in January and terminate upon the conclusion of session. Pages are non-partisan staff and serve all 30 members of the Arizona State Senate. Internship credit hours are available through a majority of colleges and academic departments. The position pays an hourly wage of \$12.00. For more information please visit our website:

www.azsenate.gov/senate-pages

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